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Dates to Remember

Governing Council Meeting
Tuesday 23rd November

Presentation Night
Thursday 2nd December

Last Day of 2021
Thursday 9th December

From the Principals Desk

Hello everyone and welcome to Week 7.

Elliston Area School Presentation Night

Thursday the 2nd of December at 5.30pm

This years Covid Safe event will be held in the Hall. Masks will be required by all adults and each family will be limited to two people attending. We have a few spare tickets available for families who have additional siblings. Unfortunately there will be no community BBQ at this years event.

ALL TICKETS WILL NEED TO BE PRE BOOKED PRIOR TO THE EVENT. To secure your tickets please contact the front office or complete the online booking form [HERE](#).

We thank you for your understanding regarding this years event.

Fowlers Bay Bush Blitz Teach Live Expeditions

This week Mr Dudley is taking place in an Australian Science Teachers Association Fowlers Bay Bush Blitz Teach Live Expedition sponsored by the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment, BHP and Earthwatch. This is a wonderful opportunity and we look forward to hearing about his adventures for the week ahead. Mrs Wendland will be Mr Dudley's TRT for the week.

SWIFT Internet

For the majority of this year Elliston Area School has had fast and reliable internet which is essential to deliver world-class education and to prepare students for the industries of the future. Since 2019 over 99% of schools and preschools across South Australia have received high-speed fibre optic internet through SWiFT.

Last week our SWiFT moved into phase two, providing our school with improved cyber security protection through SWiFT Portal. This powerful tool gives ICT staff and school leaders better visibility over the performance and capacity of their internet service.

It also offers advanced web filtering, giving staff the ability to easily control the online content students can access. This includes unique cyber welfare alerts for specific words, phrases and activity. If a student accesses concerning information online it will be flagged and notifications proactively sent to wellbeing and school leaders to help support the cyber safety and wellbeing of students.

This week we have taken the opportunity to remind our students of the ICT Agreement they signed at the beginning of the year and explained how the NEW SWiFT Portal provides staff with real-time alerts and visibility of students' online activities.

School Bus Service

A reminder to our bus families that on Wednesday the 1st of December our Yellow School Bus is booked in for mandatory maintenance inspections, servicing and repairs in Port Lincoln. Could families please make alternative arrangements to have their children picked up from school for the afternoon run. Many thanks.

Governing Council Meeting

Tomorrow night (Tuesday the 23rd of November) at 5.00pm. Look forward to seeing you all there.

Please have a wonderful week.

Kind Regards
Chad Fleming

School News



November Birthdays

22nd Jade Tesselaar
28th Kiana Tonkin

SRC Canteen

CANTEEN will be every Friday.

**Week 7 Canteen - Pies \$3.50, Sausage Rolls \$2.50,
Pizzas \$2.50. Sauce Free**

Don't forget that orders need to be put in brown paper bags with your name, class and correct money in them and they need to be delivered to the box outside the Home Ec room on Friday by 9am.

Active After School

Tennis- At Tennis Courts

Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30pm - 4:30pm
Everyone welcome. Please bring a water bottle

Lost Property/ Salad Bowls

Lost property and salad bowls from Wool Show cleanup
Can be collected from the front office at school. Thanks

2021 Outstanding Invoices

If you have an outstanding invoice; please make payment to the school as a matter of urgency. If you have not paid because you are experiencing financial hardship, please contact Chad Fleming or Julie Custance at the school as we are very flexible with payment arrangements and the matter will be treated with strict confidentiality.

Book Club News

Last One! Issue 8

Last chance to get Christmas presents!
Please have orders back to me by 26th November.
Thank you for your support ☺

PRINCIPALS READ ALOUD at HOME CHALLENGE

Every time your child reads aloud to a parent/carer, the students themselves, are required to record the book and the number of pages they read in their diary or home book and bring it to their parent/carer for initialling. If this takes place 3x per week students will be rewarded with 5 Stars/5 Sprit Award Points that will go towards their house team tally and classroom prize. I will personally stamp each child's chart and thank them for taking the time to practice their reading, because as Dr Seuss always says:

**“The more you read, the more
things you will know.
The more that you learn, the
more places you'll go.”**



POW- Team Games

Wear House Colours

Friday 26th Nov, Week 7

Lunch Time, Oval

Community News

Elliston Children's Centre Fundraiser



WE ARE FUNDRAISING With Zoom Kites

Dragon, UFO, Dinosaur, Flamingo, Mermaid, Unicorn

ALL ONE PRICE \$15

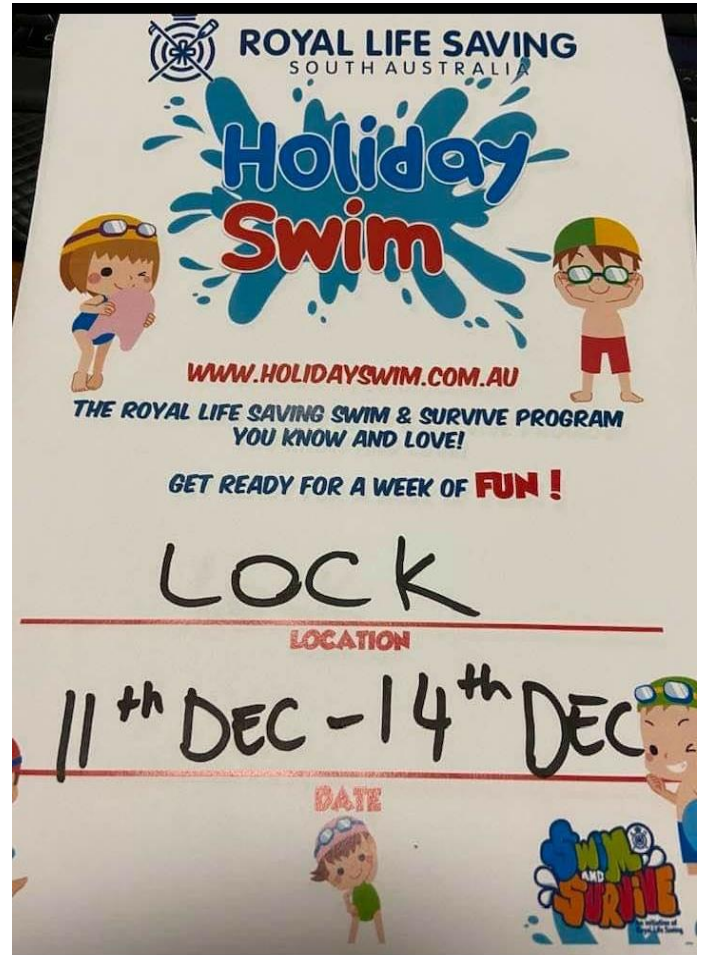
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ORDERS CLOSE : 30 Nov

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT :
To order go to: <https://zoomkites.com.au/my-account/>

Zoom Kites

MULTIPACKS AVAILABLE! (SEE ORDER FORM)



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THE ROYAL LIFE SAVING SWIM & SURVIVE PROGRAM YOU KNOW AND LOVE!

GET READY FOR A WEEK OF **FUN !**

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LOCATION

11th DEC - 14th DEC

DATE

WEEK AND SURVIVE

Cummins MEAT STORE

Pleased to Meet You, With Meat to Please You.

52 Bruce Tce. Cummins 8676 2046

position available

Our Busy Country Butcher Shop
is seeking a motivated
Experienced Slaughterman/Butcher
to join our 'Whacky Team'
2 days Slaughtering 3 days in Butcher Shop
Email Resume to
cumminsmeatstore@bigpond.com
Or Call
Glenn 0409560777

Elliston Camera Club Calendars

Now selling at the local Post Office & Information Centre
for \$15 each.

Thanks once again to our local sponsors and
supporters for purchasing.

Elliston Camera Club Members

Celebrating Christmas 2021

Let's celebrate Christmas in the District Council of Elliston.

Council and the Elliston Community and Visitor Information Centre are holding a "Celebrating Christmas" competition from 1-17 December 2021.

Your display can be lighting, a structure or interpretive - as long as it is about Christmas, and the location will be added to our Celebrating Christmas Tour Route.

Winner of the best display will win \$250, 2nd \$150 and Community Choice \$100. Winners will be advised on 20 December.

Registration forms are now available from the Council office, Elliston Community and Visitor Information Centre, Lock Library and below.

The Competition is open to all residents in the Elliston District but you must register to be included in the judging process.

Good luck!



CELEBRATING CHRISTMAS 2021



Registration Form

Name: _____

Address of display: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Open to all residents of the Elliston District





Community Presentation —

Elliston

Stormwater Infrastructure and Samphire Flat Wetland Upgrade

*A Project jointly funded by Council and the State Government under
the Local Government Infrastructure Partnership Program*

Where: Elliston Golf Club

When: Tuesday 30 November 2021

Time: 12.00noon to 2.00pm

All welcome

District Council of Elliston Phone: 8687 9177

Email: dce@elliston.sa.gov.au



WUDINNA
MEDICAL PRACTICE

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Q Fever Vaccinations

Wudinna Medical Practice is seeking people interested in receiving a Q-Fever Vaccination in 2021.

It is a once off vaccination to protect you from Q-fever, an illness passed on from stock and wildlife.

The Q-Fever immunisation consists of two stages, a blood and skin test and the vaccination if suitable. There must be a week gap between the two..

No Medicare rebate is applicable to this vaccination process and we do require minimum numbers to hold the clinic.

***Blood & skin test (\$200.00) - 30th November 2021.
Vaccination (if required) (\$150.00) - 7th December 2021.***

All fees must be paid at the time of your consultation.

Please call or e-mail the Wudinna Medical Practice and register your interest.

Feel free to contact us with any questions or refer to www.qfeverfacts.com.au for further information on Q-Fever.





**COME AND CELEBRATE
CHRISTMAS IN ELLISTON**
SATURDAY

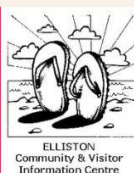
11TH DECEMBER 2021

**MARKETS on from 1pm - 5pm at the
ELLISTON COMMUNITY HALL**

**Followed with meals, drinks and music at the
ELLISTON SPORTS CENTRE**

- 5pm- Sports Centre and Bar Open
- 5.15pm- Kids games/ bike decorating competition
- 5.45pm- Santa and Fire Truck coming
- 6.15pm- Free BBQ Tea & Salads provided

**Elliston Community &
Visitor information Centre**



**Contact us on 0886879200
info@elliston.com.au**

STEM

Have you ever wondered what is going on under your screen? The **4/5 class** are exploring this exact question! So far we have discovered that digital systems (computers, devices and networks) represent images and text using binary information. Digital devices have hundreds of layers of tiny circuits that deliver electrical impulses. Digital systems use a combination of on and off states to deliver images and text to our screens. These on and off states are represented as 1s and 0s – the binary number system. We have been using binary windows to help explain our thinking as we move through this unit of work.



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1	1	1	1

In **R/1 STEM** we have been learning how to publish our work using Word. We are very proud of our efforts! We have also enjoyed some critical and creative design thinking challenges involving limited quantities of recycled paper and sticky tape.

After reading Goldilocks and the Three Bears students were challenged to **create a chair that could support our class teddies**.

The second challenge posed the question **'What is the longest chain you can create with 1 A4 piece of paper?'** Working in pairs there was lots of amazing discussion about how thick to cut each strip and how this would impact the final chain length. Using our maths knowledge we then compared, ordered and measured each chain. I always love watching these amazing little minds coming up with creative solutions and having wonderful conversations about how to overcome the challenges.



P.E Week Activities 22nd-26th November 2021 (Week 7)

	<u>Muscle</u> <u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Walk it</u> <u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Team</u> <u>Thursday</u>	<u>Feel good</u> <u>Friday</u>
<u>In class</u>	Pre and post lesson stretches	Brain Break "Just Dance"	Brain Break "Just Dance"	Brain Break "Just Dance"	Brain Break "Just Dance"
<u>Before school</u>	Skipping	Skipping	Skipping	Skipping	Skipping
<u>Recess</u>	Balloon Tennis	Baskets of P.E gear	Table Tennis	Baskets of P.E gear	Baskets of P.E gear
<u>Lunch</u>	Frisbees on the oval	Zumba Sporting Schools-Tennis 3:30-4:30 @ courts	Disco	Speedminton Sporting Schools-Tennis 3:30-4:30 @ courts	Pearson Vs Flinders whole school game Wear House colours
Physical Education week celebrates the importance of the Health and Physical Education Learning Area in South Australian Schools. Health and Physical Education is the area of the curriculum that is directly concerned with the development of skills, knowledge and understanding, values and attitudes that will counteract so called lifestyle diseases that are widely acknowledged as representing an unprecedented threat to the Health and economic future of Australia. This is celebrated through PE week 2021.					